

## Resources and References for the DCoE June 2015 Traumatic Brain Injury Webinar

## Translational NeuroRehabilitation Outcomes: Research Trends and Person-Centered Care

## Resources

The American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine (ACRM) is an organization of rehabilitation professionals dedicated to serving people with disabling conditions through supporting research that promotes health, independence, productivity and quality of life of people with disabilities. ACRM assists researchers improve their investigations and disseminate findings, educates rehabilitation providers to deliver best practices, and advocates for funding of rehabilitation research.

The Brain Injury Association of America (BIAA) advances brain injury prevention, treatment, education and research to improve the quality of life for all people affected by brain injury. BIAA and its network of **state affiliates**, local chapters and support groups are dedicated to increasing access to quality health care and raising awareness and understanding of brain injury.

The **Defense and Veterans Brain Injury Center** (DVBIC) developed the **Moderate or Severe TBI Fact Sheet** to educate caregivers of service members and veterans about common signs and symptoms, stages of treatment and recovery tips.

DVBIC also offers **A Guide for Caregivers of Service Members and Veterans** for caregivers of individuals who have sustained a moderate to severe or penetrating TBI. This comprehensive resource includes the following modules:

- Introduction to TBI
- Understanding the Effects of TBI and What You Can Do to Help
- Becoming a Family Caregiver for a Service Member/Veteran with TBI
- Navigating Services and Benefits
- Caregiver's Companion

NeuroRestorative provides post-acute rehabilitation services for people of all ages with brain and spinal cord injuries and other neurological challenges. This includes specialized services to meet the unique needs of service members and veterans to increase independence and reintegration into civilian life. Through its **Knowledge Center**, NeuroRestorative offers educational resources, including monthly online programs, for brain injury rehabilitation professionals.

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